

2000-01

# GEORGIA TECH GOLF



*Junior  
Matt Weibring*



*Sophomore  
Troy Matteson*



*Junior  
Kris Mikkelsen*



*Senior  
Bryce Molder*



*Senior  
Wes Latimer*

NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS SUPPLEMENT

## Georgia Institute of Technology Quick Facts

Georgia Tech returns five letterwinners and seven veterans from last year's NCAA Runner-up team that finished the year with the top ranking in the nation in both major polls. The Yellow Jackets entered the season with a top-five ranking for the third consecutive year. Tech as a team has placed in the top three in 33 of its 47 tournaments over the last four years, including 14 victories, four of which have been in the postseason. Tech's finish at the 2000 NCAA Championship matched the highest placing in the program's history, equaling the finish of the 1993 squad.



**Official Name**..... Georgia Institute of Technology  
**Location**..... Atlanta, Ga.  
**Founded**..... 1885  
**Enrollment**..... 14,000  
**Colors**..... Old Gold and White  
**Nicknames**..... Yellow Jackets, Rambling Wreck  
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**Conference**..... Atlantic Coast (ACC)  
**President** ..... Dr. G. Wayne Clough (Georgia Tech, 1964)  
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**Lettermen Returning/Lost** ..... Five/Two  
**2000-01 ACC Finish**..... 1st/9 (280-285-280—845)  
**2000-01 East Regional Finish** ..... 7th/27 (285-279-282—846)  
**1999-2000 Final National Rankings**..... CGF—1st/*Golfweek*—1st  
**1999-2000 NCAA Tourn. Finish** . 2nd/30 (280-282-278-276—1116)  
**ACC Championships**..... Seven (1985, '91, '92, '93, '94, '99, 2001)  
**NCAA East Regional Championships** ..... Three (1991, '98, '99)  
**NCAA Top 10 Finishes**..... Seven  
**Highest NCAA Finish**..... Second place in 1993 & 2000  
**NCAA Championship Tournaments**..... 15  
**Years** (1985, '86, '87, '88, '89, '90, '91, '92, '93, '94, '95, '98, '99, 2000, 2001)  
**All-America Honorees** ..... 33

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## Current Team & Individual Rankings (As of May 23, 2001)

### TEAM

**Golfweek:** ..... No. 2  
**MasterCard CGF:** ..... No. 2  
**Golf World:** ..... No. 2

### INDIVIDUAL

**Golf World:** ..... Bryce Molder, No. 1  
**Golfweek:** ..... Bryce Molder, No. 1  
 ..... Troy Matteson, No. 25  
 ..... Matt Weibring, No. 75  
 ..... Wes Latimer, No. 83  
**Mastercard CGF:** ..... Bryce Molder, No. 1  
 ..... Troy Matteson, No. 34  
 ..... Kris Mikkelsen, No. 64  
 ..... Matt Weibring, No. 79  
 ..... Wes Latimer, No. 95



## Team Roster

Name	Ht	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown (High School)	Trn	2001 Statistics				
						Stroke Avg.	T20	Lo	60s	< Par
Adam Cranford	6-3	180	So.-R.	Augusta, Ga. (Aquinas)	1	75.50	0	74	0	0
Jake Ellison	5-10	150	Fr.	Santa Clara, Utah (Snow Canyon)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wren Fowler	6-0	170	Fr.	Thomson, Ga. (Thomson)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wes Latimer	5-11	175	Sr.-R	Woodstock, Ga. (Sequoyah)	10	73.75	4	69	2	8
Troy Matteson	6-0	170	So.-R.	Austin, Texas (L.C. Anderson)	9	72.58	6	64	4	8
Kris Mikkelsen	5-10	165	Jr.	Woodstock, Ga. (Etowah)	10	74.00	3	68	3	10
Bryce Molder	6-1	165	Sr.	Conway, Ark. (Conway)	10	69.39	10	60	16	22
Matt Weibring	6-1	170	Jr.	Plano, Texas (Bishop Lynch)	10	73.96	3	68	5	8



# 2000-01 Georgia Tech Golf News & Notes



## TECH AT THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Yellow Jackets' 2001 trip to the NCAA Championships will mark the fourth-straight year and the 15th time overall that Tech has appeared in the event. Tech is coming off of its best performance at the NAAs, as the team tied for the lead after 72 holes at the 2000 championship with an NCAA-record score of 36-under-par, 280-282-278-276—1116, before losing a one-hole playoff to Oklahoma State to decide the national champion. Three members of that team are back in 2001, with four of the five players in the lineup having played in at least one NCAA Championship in their careers. Tech's top finisher from a year ago is also back, as Matt Weibring returns after a sixth-place finish with his score of 12-under-par, 71-71-67-67—276. The finish in 2001 marked the second time that Tech had finished as the national runner-up, as the 1993 team also accomplished the feat, led by individual runner-up David Duval, and current PGA Tour player Stewart Cink, who finished tied for 13th. The Jackets have seven top-10 NCAA finishes in their history, with three more placements in the top 15.

## JACKETS CLAIM SEVENTH ACC TITLE

On April 22, Georgia Tech used a solid final nine holes to rally and claim the program's seventh Atlantic Coast Conference team championship in Orlando, Fla. The Yellow Jackets used a final-round team score of 8-under-par, 280 and a three-day total of 19-under-par, 280-285-280—845. That score outdistanced third-ranked Clemson by eight shots for the win. Tech was led in the event by senior Bryce Molder, who placed second in the individual standings, and tied the Georgia Tech 54-hole ACC Tournament scoring record with his 11-under-par, 69-70-66—205. All five Yellow Jackets finished among the top 15, as junior Kris Mikkelsen (69-73-71—213) finished sixth and sophomore Troy Matteson (70-74-71—215) was 10th to join Molder in the event's top 10. Junior Matt Weibring finished tied for 12th at 73-71-72—216, and senior Wes Latimer was tied for 15th at 72-71-75—218.

## ALREADY GOT ONE FOR THE THUMB

The 2001 edition of the Georgia Tech men's golf team tied a school record when it won the program's seventh ACC title last month, capturing its fifth team title of the season. The Yellow Jackets matched the 1993 team, led by Stewart Cink and David Duval, which also won five events, including the school's fourth ACC crown. Tech was victorious once in the fall at the Carpet Capital Collegiate, and has won an impressive four events thus far in the spring. The four spring wins included three-straight at the Puerto Rico Classic, the Las Vegas Intercollegiate and the Morris Williams Intercollegiate. Along with the five wins, the Jackets have finished in the top three of all but three events this year, and out of the top 10 on only one occasion.

## STAYING NEAR THE TOP

After the 1999-2000 team finished the year with a second-place showing at the NCAA tournament, both *Golfweek* and the Mastercard Collegiate Golf Foundation placed the Yellow Jackets atop their final season rankings. Since that time, Tech has not slipped too far in the polls, holding down the number two spot for much of the spring, while dueling in-state rival and top-ranked Georgia on a number of occasions for team championships throughout the year.

## TO BE THE BEST YOU'VE GOT TO BEAT THE BEST

This addage is certainly one that the Tech men's golf team has subscribed to during the 2001 season. The Yellow Jackets have played the second-toughest schedule in the nation, according to the *Golfweek*/Sagarin Performance Index, during the year, while being ranked second in the country for much of that time. With the exception of the

ACC Championships, all nine of Tech's regular-season tournaments featured at least seven teams ranked in the current *Golfweek*/Sagarin rankings' Top 25. Of the nine teams at the ACC Tournament, five were among the Top 25. That works out to 110 of the 178 teams (61.8%) competing in tournaments with Tech in 2001, including the Yellow Jackets, have been ranked in the Top 25. An added note, the first and third-toughest schedules in the nation belong to third-ranked Clemson and top-ranked Georgia respectively.

## MOLDER HOLDS TOP RANKING WITH SOLID SEASON

Tech three-time first-team All-American and senior captain Bryce Molder opened the 2000-01 season as the nation's top-ranked individual, and has held that position throughout the year. The Conway, Ark., native finished the regular season with three tournament victories, including a season-opening win in a strong field at the Ping/*Golfweek* Preview in Durham, N.C., the site of this week's NCAA Championships. Just a few weeks later at the Jerry Pate Intercollegiate, Molder found the winner's circle again by carding a 54-hole score of 17-under-par 67-62-67—196. That total set a new 54-hole school scoring record and would only stand until Molder returned to the course on November 3-5. At the *Golf World* Invitational, he not only matched the 196, but also fired a final round score of 60, to tie the NCAA record. The final win of the year came at the Morris Williams Intercollegiate, where he finished with a score of 67-68—135, in the rain-shortened event. Entering the NCAA Championships, Molder has an impressive season scoring average of 69.23, which would rank as the lowest in NCAA history, and has a career stroke average of 70.69, which would also be the lowest ever.

## IT'S A TEAM THING FOR TECH IN 2001

While for the most part golf is an individual sport on most levels of competition, the college game adds the element of team competition, which requires a solid effort from five individuals rather than just one. Tech has gotten that throughout the 2001 season, as all five players that have played in the majority of the events have at least three top-20 finishes. The Yellow Jackets have 28 top-20s and 15 top-10 finishes this year. Along with overall finishes, Tech has had each of its top-five individuals dip into red figures in a single round on at least nine occasions. Led by Bryce Molder with 25, the Jackets have recorded an impressive 64 sub-par rounds this year; that works out to over 41 percent of Tech's rounds being under par, with 52 percent being at par or better.

## MATESON RECORDS CAREER-BEST FINISH IN LAS VEGAS

Tech sophomore Troy Matteson currently ranks second on the squad with a 72.48 stroke average and turned in one of the top performances of his young career in the Jackets' 24-shot win at the Las Vegas Intercollegiate. The Austin, Texas, native finished second in the event with a 54-hole score of 6-under-par, 72-72-66—210. Matteson was Tech's top individual finisher, leading three Yellow Jackets in the top 10, and marked the top individual finish of his career.

## WEIBRING CONTINUES NCAA SUCCESSES

Tech junior Matt Weibring has recorded a pair of top-10 finishes in his career, both of which have come in NCAA competition. The first came last year as he was the Jackets' top finisher at the NCAA Championships in Opelika, Ala., leading Tech to a second-place team finish with his sixth-place finish and a score of 12-under-par, 71-71-67-67—276. Weibring turned in another top-10 last weekend at the NCAA East Regional, as he placed in a tie for 10th with a career-best 6-under-par score of 69-71-70—210.



# 2000-01 Georgia Tech Golf Results



## INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Player	Trn	t10	t20	Rds/Cnt	Strk	Avg.	Lo	Hi	60s	Par	< Par	+/-	1st Rd.	Last Rd.	Par 3	Par 4	Par 5
Bryce Molder	11	10	11	31/30	2146	69.23	60	82	19	2	25	-81	70.40	68.20	3.02	3.94	4.53
Troy Matteson	10	2	6	29/23	2102	72.48	64	78	5	4	9	+19	73.78	72.78	3.16	4.11	4.78
Matt Weibring	11	1	4	31/23	2281	73.58	68	85	6	4	11	+54	74.90	74.10	3.21	4.23	4.79
Wes Latimer	11	0	4	31/23	2283	73.65	69	85	2	5	9	+56	73.90	74.10	3.18	4.21	4.80
Kris Mikkelsen	11	3	3	31/24	2293	73.97	68	87	3	2	10	+66	74.90	74.20	3.28	4.17	4.92
Adam Cranford	1	0	0	2/2	151	75.50	74	77	0	0	0	+7	77.00	74.00	3.50	4.05	5.25
Tech													73.64	72.70	3.17	4.13	4.77

## FALL RESULTS

### PING/GOLFWEK PREVIEW INVITATIONAL

Duke University Golf Club

Durham, N.C. • Sept. 25-26

Team: 11th/16 (300-298—598)

Par: +22	Lead: -15	Individuals: 80
1 Bryce Molder (-4).....	68-72—140	
t-42 Adam Cranford (+7).....	77-74—151	
t-44 Matt Weibring (+8).....	76-76—152	
t-67 Wes Latimer (+12).....	80-76—156	
t-71 Kris Mikkelsen (+14).....	79-79—158	

### CARPET CAPITAL COLLEGIATE

The Farm

Rocky Face, Ga. • Oct. 6-8

Team: 1st/15 (286-280-304—870)

Par: +6	Lead: +1	Individuals: 80
2 Bryce Molder (-5).....	70-68-73—211	
t-18 Wes Latimer (+5).....	72-75-74—221	
t-23 Kris Mikkelsen (+6).....	73-70-79—222	
t-31 Troy Matteson (+8).....	77-69-78—224	
t-36 Matt Weibring (+10).....	71-73-82—226	

### JERRY PATE INTERCOLLEGIATE

Old Overton Golf Club

Birmingham, Ala. • Oct. 16-17

Team: 3rd/12 (282-271-282—835)

Par: -17	Lead: -10	Individuals: 60
1 Bryce Molder (-17).....	67-62-67—196	
t-15 Troy Matteson (-1).....	76-64-72—212	
t-27 Wes Latimer (+4).....	70-71-76—217	
t-27 Matt Weibring (+4).....	71-75-71—217	
t-33 Kris Mikkelsen (+7).....	74-74-72—220	

### GOLF WORLD INVITATIONAL

Arthur Hills Course

Hilton Head, S.C. • Nov. 3-5

Team: 2nd/18 (278-272-279—829)

Par: -35	Lead: -7	Individuals: 90
2 Bryce Molder (-20).....	69-67-60—196	
t-12 Wes Latimer (-6).....	70-69-71—210	
t-24 Kris Mikkelsen (-4).....	70-68-74—212	
t-28 Troy Matteson (-3).....	70-68-75—213	
t-28 Matt Weibring (-3).....	69-70-74—213	

## SPRING RESULTS

### TAYLOR MADE/WAIKOLOA

INTERCOLLEIGATE

Waikoloa Kings & Beach Courses

Waikoloa, Hawaii • February 15-17

Team: T-8th/24 (321-320-282—923)

Par: +67	Lead: -30	Individuals: 120
t-13 Bryce Molder (+11).....	76-82-67—225	
t-13 Troy Matteson (+11).....	75-78-72—225	
t-67 Matt Weibring (+23).....	85-80-72—237	
t-67 Wes Latimer (+23).....	85-81-71—237	
t-96 Kris Mikkelsen (+29).....	87-81-75—243	

### PUERTO RICO CLASSIC

Rio Mar Country Club

Palmer, P.R. • February 25-27

Team: 1st/15 (296-283-282—861)

Par: -3	Lead: +1	Individuals: 75
3 Bryce Molder (-4).....	71-71-70—212	
t-15 Troy Matteson (+3).....	75-71-73—219	
t-15 Matt Weibring (+3).....	75-75-69—219	
t-22 Wes Latimer (+4).....	75-69-76—220	
t-28 Kris Mikkelsen (+6).....	80-72-70—222	

### LAS VEGAS INTERCOLLEGIATE

Rio Secco Golf Club

Las Vegas, Nev. • March 9-11

Team: 1st/15 (292-279-273—844)

Par: -20	Lead: +24	Individuals: 75
2 Troy Matteson (-6).....	72-72-66—210	
t-4 Bryce Molder (-4).....	75-69-68—212	
t-6 Kris Mikkelsen (-3).....	74-69-70—213	
t-16 Wes Latimer (+1).....	71-74-72—217	
t-33 Matt Weibring (+7).....	85-69-69—223	

### MORRIS WILLIAMS INTERCOLLEGIATE

Austin Country Club

Austin, Texas • March 26

Team: 1st/15 (281-291—572)

Par: -3	Lead: +1	Individuals: 84
1 Bryce Molder (-9).....	67-68—135	
t-9 Kris Mikkelsen (-1).....	70-73—143	
t-25 Wes Latimer (+3).....	71-76—147	
t-37 Troy Matteson (+6).....	75-75—150	
t-37 Matt Weibring (+6).....	73-77—150	

### FORD U.S. COLLEGIATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Vista Vallarta Golf Club

Puerto Vallarta, Mexico • April 4-6

Team: 2nd/12 (289-282-301)

Par: +4	Lead: -33	Individuals: 60
t-4 Bryce Molder (-5).....	72-78-71—211	
t-16 Matt Weibring (+2).....	71-68-79—218	
t-20 Troy Matteson (+3).....	74-72-73—219	
t-27 Wes Latimer (+6).....	73-75-74—222	
44 Kris Mikkelsen (+10).....	73-74-79—226	

### ATLANTIC COAST CONFERENCE

CHAMPIONSHIPS

Disney's Magnolia Course

Lake Buena Vista, Fla. • April 20-22

Team: 1st/9 (280-285-280—845)

Par: -19	Lead: +8	Individuals: 45
2 Bryce Molder (-11).....	69-70-66—205	
t-6 Kris Mikkelsen (-3).....	69-73-71—213	
t-10 Troy Matteson (-1).....	70-74-71—215	
t-12 Matt Weibring (E).....	73-71-72—216	
t-15 Wes Latimer (+2).....	72-71-75—218	

### NCAA EAST REGIONAL

Golden Horseshoe Golf Club, Green Course

Williamsburg, Va. • May 17-19

Team: 7th/27 (285-279-282—846)

Par: -18	Lead: -18	Individuals: 141
2 Bryce Molder (-13).....	68-69-66—203	
t-10 Matt Weibring (-6).....	69-71-70—210	
t-49 Troy Matteson (-1).....	73-69-73—215	
t-64 Wes Latimer (+2).....	75-70-73—218	
t-75 Kris Mikkelsen (+5).....	75-72-74—221	



# Wes Latimer

**Senior-R**

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**Woodstock, Ga.**

**Sequoyah H.S.**

**2000-01:** Was one of four Yellow Jacket players in Tech's lineup for every tournament during the 2001 season...Top finish of the year came in a 12th-place showing at the Golf World Invitational with a 6-under-par score of 70-69-71—210...The three-day score of 210 was the lowest 54-hole total of Latimer's career...Ranked fourth on the team in stroke average through 11 events with a 73.65 average per round...Recorded four finishes in the top 20 during the regular season and ACC Championships, including a 15th-place effort at the ACCs to help lead Tech to its seventh conference title in school history...Helped the Jackets to five teams titles through the ACCs, which ties the 1993 team for the most single-season wins in school history.

**1999-2000:** Competed in two events for the Yellow Jackets during the season, one in the fall and another in the spring...Top finish was a tie for 44th place at the Waikoloa Intercollegiate, recording a three-day score of 9-over-par 224...Also competed at the Iron Duke Classic, finishing in a tie for 56th at 11-over-par 155 in two rounds...Finished the year with a 75.60 stroke average.

**1998-99:** Joined Bryce Molder as the only Yellow Jackets to play all 38 rounds for the year...Finished the year with a 74.47 stroke average...Played his best golf in the postseason as he placed third at the Atlantic Coast Conference Championship and was tied for fifth at the NCAA East Regional...Also tied Molder as team leader at the NCAA Championship...Shot a career-best 72-70-70—212 at the East Regional to place 1-under as Tech claimed its second consecutive title...Carded a 1-under 71-73-71—215 at the ACC Championship in helping the Jackets to their first title since 1994...Was the team leader at the Duke Golf Classic as he fired a 2-under 71-73-70—214 while Tech placed third...Tied Molder at 10-over with a 74-80—154 at the NCAA Championship.

**1997-98:** Shot a career-best 67 in the final round of the 1998 NCAA Championships...Tied for 40th at the NCAA East Regional, where his second round of 70 helped the Yellow Jackets card a season-best team score of 275...Tied for 11th place at the ACC Championships, where he matched his season best for low tournament score (212)...Tied for fourth at the Nelson Stanford Invitational after opening with a round of 69...Was 65th in the May 6 edition of the MasterCard-College Golf Foundation Men's Individual Rankings.

**1996-97:** Redshirted.

**Amateur— 2000:** Top finish of the summer came at the Georgia State Amateur, as he finished second in the event...Finished the Dogwood Amateur in a tie for 47th at 71-78-68-74—291...Placed in a tie for 29th at the Northeast Amateur with a total of 72-69-74-70—285...Turned in a strong showing at the Southern Amateur as he finished the 72-hole event tied for fifth place with his total of 5-under-par 73-69-69-72—283...**1999:** Qualified for the U.S. Amateur Championship for a second consecutive year...Missed the match play cut at Pebble Beach Golf Links after shooting a 79-82—161...Tied for 47th at the Northeastern Amateur with a 72-70-78-73—293...Placed in a tie for 34th at the Dogwood Invitational with a 71-73-69-68—218 (-7)...**1998:** Qualified for the 1998 U.S. Amateur Championships after finishing as co-medalist at the Lake Orion, Mich., qualifier...Shot a 142 at the Black

Heath Golf Club...Finished second at eight-under-par (280) and was the low amateur at the 1995 Georgia Open, hosted by the Georgia PGA...Shot 11-under (277) at the 1997 Georgia Open and was again low amateur...Tied for fifth at the 1997 Georgia State Golf Association Amateur Championship...Tied for second (217) at the Buick Junior Open...Tied for fifth at the Hargray Junior Classic at Indigo Run...Tied for seventh at the 1996 AJGA Boys Junior Championship...Competed in the Georgia Athletic Coaches Association All-Star Golf Tournament in 1994 and 1996.

**Background:** 1997 ACC Academic Honor Roll...1994 GSGA Junior Player of the Year...Member of the 1994 and 1995 Compaq Scholastic Junior All-American Teams...1995 third team Rolex Junior All-America...1995 AJGA Sportsmanship Award winner...Four career holes-in-one.

**High School:** 1996 Georgia High School Player of the Year . . . Co-captain of the Sequoyah golf team for four years...1994 4A individual state champion...Team was 1995 Region VI Champion... Honor roll selection all four years.

**Personal:** Full name is Wesley Daniel Latimer...Born December 20, 1976, in Louisville, Ky....Son of Tommy and Judy Latimer of Woodstock, Ga....Graduated May 5 with a degree in management.





## Career Collegiate Finishes

### 1997-98

T56	William H. Tucker Invitational	71-78—149
T61	Tenn. Tourn. of Champions	73-74-80—227
T37	C.C. of Louisiana Intercoll.	78-75-73—226
T4	Nelson Stanford Invitational	69-72-71—212
T66	PING Arizona Intercollegiate	75-78-74—227
T46	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	73-73-75—221
T40	Puerto Rico Golf Classic	76-77-76—229
28	Cuscowilla Intercollegiate	71-74-74—219
T11	Carpet Capital Collegiate	74-73-72—219
T11	ACC Championships	72-71-69—212
T40	NCAA East Regional	74-70-75—219
T60	NCAA Championships	76-74-75-67—292

### 1998-99

T29	Ridges Invitational	74-72-74—220
T61	Ping Golfweek Preview Inv.	77-76-84—237
T25	Taylor Made Red River Cl.	70-71-73—214
T6	Duke Golf Classic	71-73-70—214
T35	Golf World Invitational	75-73-74—222
T86	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	74-82-86—242
T24	Puerto Rico Classic	74-76-67—217
T36	Golf Digest Intercollegiate	72-75-75—222
T52	Chris Schenkel Invitational	77-74-77—228
77	Carpet Capital Collegiate	80-77-76—233
3	ACC Championship	71-73-71—215
T5	NCAA East Regional	72-70-70—212
T65	NCAA Championship	74-80—154

### 1999-2000

T56	Iron Duke Golf Classic	79-76—155
T44	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	73-74-76—224

### 2000-01

T67	Ping/Golfweek Preview	80-76—156
T18	Carpet Capital Collegiate	72-75-74—221
T27	Jerry Pate Intercollegiate	70-71076—217
T12	Golf World Invitational	70-69-71—210
T67	Taylor Made/Waikoloa Intercollegiate	85-81-71—237
T22	Puerto Rico Classic	75-69-76—220
T16	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	71-74-72—217
T25	Morris Williams Intercollegiate	73-77—150
T27	Ford U.S. Collegiate Championships	73-75-74—222
T15	ACC Championships	72-71-75—218
T64	NCAA East Regional	75-70-73—218

### Career Statistics

Year	Trn	T10	T20	Rnds/Cnt	Strk	Avg.	Lo	Hi	< Par	60s
97-98	12	1	3	36/28	2652	73.67	67	80	6	3
98-99	13	3	3	38/30	2830	74.47	67	86	9	1
99-2000	2	0	0	5/3	378	75.60	73	79	0	0
2000-01	11	0	4	31/23	2283	73.65	69	85	9	2
Total	38	4	10	110/84	8143	74.03	67	86	24	6

**Low Round:** 67, NCAA Championships, 1998

**Low Tournament:** 210, Golf World Invitational, 2000

**Best Finish:** 3, ACC Championship, 1999





# Bryce Molder

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6-1 • 165  
Conway, Ark.  
Conway H.S.

**2000-01:** Named ACC Player of the Year for the third-straight year, becoming the first player in conference history to earn the award three times, also a first-team All-ACC pick for the fourth time...Entered the year as the top-ranked player by both *Golf World* and *Golfweek*...Opened the year with a win at the Ping/Golfweek Preview Invitational with a two-day score of 68-72—140...Later at the Jerry Pate Intercollegiate, Molder won the event with a school-record 54-hole total of 67-62-67—196...Tied his own school record and set a new single-round Tech scoring record with a final round of 12-under-par 60 at the *Golf World* Invitational, as he finished second in that event with a score of 20-under-par, 69-67-60—196...The 60 also tied an NCAA single-round record...Recorded four top-four finishes in the spring regular events...Placed second in the ACC Tournament...Leads the nation with a 69.23 scoring average...Won the Morris Williams Intercollegiate with a score of 67-68—135 for his eighth career victory, tying David Duval for the all-time lead at Tech...Named the recipient of the 2001 Dave Williams Award, becoming the fourth Tech player to win the award...Placed second at the NCAA East Regional with a 13-under-par score of 68-69-66—203...Is the NCAA's all-time leader with a 70.69 career scoring average.

**1999-2000:** Named to the GCAA first-team All-America squad for the third-straight year, joining David Duval as the only two Yellow Jackets to be so honored...Finished the year ranked second in the *Golfweek*/Sagarin rankings, with a rating of 68.94...Had a 67-46-3 head-to-head record against the remainder of the Sagarin top-25 during the 2000 season...Won three events during the season including the ACC Championship, where he finished with a 10-under-par total of 72-67-67—206...Also was the medalist at the Carpet Capital Collegiate for the third-straight year, with his 12-under-par total of 68-68-68—204, which matched his career-low tournament score...Third individual title of the year came at the Waikoloa Intercollegiate, where he shared the title with Tech teammate Matt Kuchar...Recorded seven finishes in the top 10, and 11 times he placed in the top 20 in 12 tournaments...His only finish outside the top 20 was a 21st-place showing at the NCAA East Regional...Concluded the year with a 15th-place finish at the NCAA Championship as he recorded a four-day total of 6-under-par 69-72-71-70—282...Ranked second on the team in scoring with a 70.72 stroke average in 2000, the lowest season average of his career...His career stroke average of 71.09 is tops on Tech's all-time list...Was named a GTE first-team Academic All-American, joining Tom Shaw as the only two Tech players to be so honored.

**1998-99:** First team Golf Coaches Association of America All-American for a second-straight year...Runner-up for the Fred Haskins National Player of the Year award...Placed second in the MasterCard Collegiate Golf Foundation individual computer ranking...Ended year ranked No. 4 in the Golfstat Cup for best Division I stroke average with a 71.57 mark...Named ACC Player of the Year and earned All-ACC honors...Had 10 top-10 and 11 top-20 finishes in 13 tournaments...Also had six top five finishes...Won Carpet Capital Collegiate medalist honors for a second-straight year...Fired a career-best 12-under 66-71-67—204 to win the Carpet Capital Collegiate, which was the second-best 54-hole tournament in Tech history...Tied for second at the Golf World Invitational with a 69-67-76—212...Tied David Gossett of Texas at 8-under 70-69-69—208 at the Golf Digest Intercollegiate before losing on the second hole of the playoff...Tied for seventh at the ACC Championship after carding a 73-71-73—217 to help Tech to the team title...Tied for third at the NCAA East Regional with a 69-74-67—210 to help Tech repeat as champions...In 38 rounds for

the year, played 23 under par and 15 in the 60s...Selected to U.S. Palmer Cup and Walker Cup teams...Defeated Charles Howell of Oklahoma State in a playoff at East Lake Golf Club to win a spot in the 1999 U.S. Open at Pinehurst No. 2...Missed the cut after shooting a 73-78—151.

**1997-98:** Recipient of the Jack Nicklaus Trophy for Collegiate Player of the Year...Co-Golfweek National Player of the Year with J.J. Henry of TCU...GCAA first-team All-America selection...ACC Rookie of the Year and All-ACC selection...Ranked No. 1 by the MasterCard Collegiate Golf Foundation and No. 3 by Golfstat...Stroke average of 70.95 was the third-best single season in school history...Broke David Duval's school record for rounds under 70 in a single season (16)...Along with teammate Matt Kuchar, was selected to represent the United States on the eight-man Palmer Cup squad...Placed sixth at the NCAA Championships...Finished second to Kuchar at the NCAA East Regional after posting a season-best round of 66 and a season-best 54-hole score of 206...Tied for fifth at the ACC Championships at 209 (seven-under) after carding a final round of 68...Notched his first collegiate victory at the Carpet Capital Collegiate, sharing the title with Clemson's Lucas Glover...The only Yellow Jacket to play in all 13 events, led the team in rounds under par (22)...Had eight top-five finishes, including three in his first four events...Tied for third place in his debut at the William H. Tucker Invitational, leading Tech to victory.

**Amateur—2001:** Selected to compete in the Palmer Cup at Baltusrol's Lower Course...**2000:** Named to the U.S. World Amateur team, becoming the third Tech player to compete in the event's 22-year history...Captured medalist honors in the event in Bad Saarow, Germany, with a 15-under-par total of 69-71-65-68—273, to lead the U.S. to the team championship for the 11th time...Competed in fourth-straight U.S. Amateur Championship...Reached the quarterfinals for the second time...Defeated Tim Riley 3 and 2 in the first round and Bryant Odom 3 and 2 in the second round...Reached quarters by defeating David Miller 1 up in the third round before falling to Luke Donald 1 up...Finished third at the Players Amateur with a four-day total of 69-70-68-70—277...**1999:** Qualified for the U.S. Amateur Championship for a third-straight year...Advanced to the 64-man match play championship by shooting a 78-73—151 at Pebble Beach Golf Links...Defeated Tim Jackson, 2-up in the first round...Downed Gary Mankulish, Jr., in 21 holes in the second round after being down two with three to play...Lost an epic battle to James Oh, in 23 holes, in the quarterfinals...Is now 8-3 in U.S. Amateur career match play...Placed third at the Northeastern Amateur after shooting a 69-68-72-73—273...Tied for 31st in the Southern Amateur with a 73-74-75-76—298...Tied for second in the Western Amateur stroke play after shooting a 66-72-70-67—225 to advance to the Round of 16 match play...Lost in first round to Andy Miller, 1-up...Helped United States win third-straight Palmer Cup at the Honors Course in Oolettawah, Tenn....Went 2-2 to help the U.S. win 17.5—6.5...Selected to first Walker Cup team that played GB&I team in Nairn, Scotland...went 0-3-1 as U.S. lost 15-9. **1998:** Qualified for the 1998 U.S. Amateur Championship at Oak Hill G.C. and went 3-1 in match play...Advanced to the quarterfinals and lost to champion Hank Kuehne...Defeated BYU's Andy Miller, 4 and 3, in the round of 16...Finished second in the Northeast Amateur...Qualified for match play at the 1997 U.S. Amateur (67-68—137)...Finished fourth (72-73-66-74—285) at the 1997 Rolex Tournament of Champions...Finished third at the 1997 Dogwood Amateur (67-66-71-72—276)...Member of the West squad for the 1996 and 1997 Canon Cups...In the summer of 1996, he won the Freeport McDermott Classic and finished second at the AJGA Tournament of Champions...Finished no lower than 11th in any event...U.S. Junior Amateur medalist, breaking Johnny Miller's 32-year-old scoring record by shooting 69-69—138.

**Background:** The 2nd-ranked junior golfer in the nation according to *Golfweek* magazine... First-team 1996 Rolex Junior All-American after earning second-team honors the previous year...Stroke average of 70.7 in high school, AJGA and amateur events...Won his first tournament at age eight.

**High School:** Arkansas State Overall champion by 10 shots, setting a new tournament record of 103 over 27 holes...Finished second in the Arkansas 4A High School State Championship...Central Region 4A champ, setting a new competitive course record of 63.

**Personal:** Full name is Bryce Wade Molder...Born January 27, 1979...Son of Barry and Connie Molder of Conway, Ark....Graduated May 5 with a degree in management.

## Career Collegiate Finishes

### 1997-98

T3	William H. Tucker Invitational	70-69—139
T37	Tenn. Tourn. of Champions	76-72-74—222
3	Duke Golf Classic	72-71—143
2	C.C. of Louisiana Intercoll.	67-70-73—210
T12	Nelson Stanford Invitational	74-72-71—217
T7	PING Arizona Intercollegiate	69-77-68—214
T18	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	73-69-75—217
T27	Puerto Rico Golf Classic	71-77-78—226
T2	Cuscowilla Intercollegiate	72-67-68—208
T1	Carpet Capital Collegiate	74-69-69—212
T5	ACC Championships	70-71-68—209
2	NCAA East Regional	73-67-66—206
6	NCAA Championships	68-68-68-69—273*

### 1998-99

T3	Ridges Invitational	71-70-69—210
T42	Golfweek Preview Invitational	80-76-75—231
T2	Taylor Made Red River Classic	71-67-67—205
9	Duke Golf Classic	76-70-69—215
T2	Golfworld Palmetto Dunes Inv.	69-67-76—212
T5	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	65-79-80—224
7	Puerto Rico Classic	74-67-69—210
T1^	Golf Digest Intercollegiate	70-69-69—208
T15	Chris Schenkel Invitational	70-72-78—220
1	Carpet Capital Collegiate	66-71-67—204#
T7	ACC Championship	73-71-73—217
T3	NCAA East Regional	69-74-67—210
T65	NCAA Championship	77-77—154

### 1999-2000

T14	Ping/Golfweek Preview Invitational	73-74-69—216
1	Carpet Capital Collegiate	68-68-68—204
T2	Iron Duke Golf Classic	70-74—144
T18	Golf World/Palmetto Dunes Invitational	70-69-72—211
7	Savane College All-America Classic	72-72-70—214
T1	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	66-69-73—208
T8	San Juan Shoot Out	67-70-77—214
T17	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	68-73-72—213
T10	U.S. Collegiate Championships	71-71-70—212
1	ACC Championship	72-67-67—206
T21	NCAA East Regional	71-75-76—222
T15	NCAA Championship	69-72-71-70—282

### 2000-01

1	Ping/Golfweek Preview Invit.	68-72—140
2	Carpet Capital Collegiate	70-68-73—211
1	Jerry Pate Intercollegiate	67-62-67—196\$#
2	Golf World Invitational	69-67-60—196\$
T13	Taylor Made/Waikoloa Intercollegiate	76-82-67—225
3	Puerto Rico Classic	71-71-70—212
T4	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	75-69-68—212
1	Morris Williams Intercollegiate	67-68—135
T4	U.S. Collegiate Championships	72-78-71—211
2	ACC Championship	69-70-66—205%
2	NCAA East Regional	68-69-66—203

\*School Record for 72-hole tournament

^Lost playoff to David Gossett on second hole

\$Lowest 54-hole tournament in school history

#NCAA-tying and school-record round

%Tied Lowest 54-hole ACC Championship score in school history

## Career Professional Finishes

### 1999

MC	U.S. Open Championship	73-78—151
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### 2000

MC	John Deere Classic	75-69—144
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## Career Statistics

Year	Trn	T10	T20	Rnds/Cnt	Strk	Avg.	Lo	Hi	< Par	60s
97-98	13	9	11	38/36	2696	70.95	66	78	22	16
98-99	13	10	11	38/34	2720	71.57	65	80	23	15
99-2000	12	7	11	33/30*	2546**	70.72**	66	77	19	12
2000-01	11	10	11	31/30	2146	69.23	60	82	25	19
Total	49	36	44	140/130*	10,108**	70.69**	60	82	89	62

\* Does not include three rounds from the Savane All-America Classic

\*\* Includes three rounds from the Savane All-America Classic

Low Round: 60, Golf World Invitational, 2000

Low Tournament: 196, Jerry Pate Intercollegiate, Golf World Invitational, 2000

Best Finish: 1 — Morris Williams Intercollegiate, 2001, 1 — Jerry Pate Intercollegiate, 2000, 1 — Ping/Golfweek Preview, 2000, 1 — ACC Championship, 2000, T1 — Waikoloa Intercollegiate, 2000, 1 — Carpet Capital Collegiate, 1999 (Fall); 1 — Carpet Capital Collegiate, 1999 (Spring); 1999; T1 — Carpet Capital Collegiate, 1998.



## Bryce Molder's Major Accomplishments At Georgia Tech:

2001 Dave Williams Award Recipient  
 2000 World Amateur Medalist  
 2000 U.S. World Amateur Team Member  
 2000 U.S. Amateur Quarterfinalist  
 1 998, '99 & 2000 GCAA First Team All-American  
 2000 ACC Championship Medalist  
 2000 Waikoloa Intercollegiate Co-Medalist  
 1 999 Fred Haskins Award Runner-Up  
 1 999 Walker Cup Team Member  
 1 999 Palmer Cup Team Member  
 1 999, 2000 & 2001 ACC Player of the Year  
 1 999 (Spring & Fall) Carpet Capital Collegiate Medalist  
 1 999 U.S. Amateur Round of 16  
 1 998 Jack Nicklaus Player of the Year  
 1 998 ACC Rookie of the Year  
 1 998, '99, 2000 & 2001 All-ACC  
 1 998 & 2001 Palmer Cup Team Member  
 1 998 Carpet Capital Collegiate Co-Medalist  
 1 998 U.S. Amateur Quarterfinalist  
 1 998 East Regional Runner-Up  
 1 998 NCAA Championship, 6th place





# Kris Mikkelsen

**Junior**  
**5-11 • 175**  
**Woodstock, Ga.**  
**Etowah H.S.**

**2000-01:** Competed in all 11 of Tech's tournaments, one of four players to do so...Finished in the top 10 on three occasions, with the top finishes being ties for sixth at the Las Vegas Intercollegiate and the ACC Championships...Finished with a score of 69-73-71—213 at the ACCs to lead Tech to its seventh ACC crown...Recorded a 54-hole total of 74-69-70—213 in Vegas...Followed that effort two weeks later at the Morris Williams with a tie for ninth place in the rain-shortened event...Carded a two-day total of 1-under-par 70-73—143 to help lead the Jackets to their third-straight team title and fourth of the year...Low round of the regular season came at the *Golf World* Invitational, as he carded a second-round 68 in Hilton Head, S.C. at the Arthur Hills Course.

**1999-2000:** Competed in three events for the Yellow Jackets during the 1999-2000 campaign...Top finish of the year came at the San Juan Shoot Out, as he tied for eighth place with a 2-under-par total of 72-73-69—214 in helping lead Tech to the team title in the event...His scoring average of 72.88 was good enough for third on the team, as all eight of his rounds counted toward the team total...Finished the year with the third-best par 5 scoring average on the team, as he recorded an average of 4.72 on par 5s during the season.

**1998-99:** Tech's top freshman during the '98-99 campaign...Finished second on the team with a 73.23 stroke average...In seven tournaments, he posted three top-20 and two top-10 finishes...In 21 rounds, had nine under par and two in the 60s...Best finish of the season was tied for second at the Golf World Invitational with a 4-under 72-70-70—212...Was Tech leader at the Puerto Rico Challenge after finishing fifth with an 8-under 70-70-68—208...Tied for 12th at the Golf Digest Intercollegiate with an even par 76-69-71—216...Had six top 50 finishes in seven tournaments overall.

**Amateur—2000:** Top finish was a tie for seventh at the Players Amateur after shooting a 6-under-par, 71-69-71-71—282...Also finished tied for 24th at the Northeast Amateur with his four-day total of 72-69-74-70—285...Placed in a tie for 48th at the Southern Amateur with a 72-hole score of 74-75-74-74—297...1999: Tied for 13th at the Northeast Amateur after shooting a 70-71-70-75—286...Tied for 30th at the Dogwood Invitational with a 68-66-71-75—280...Tied for 67th at the Porter Cup with a 74-69-73-76—292...Tied for 24th at the Cardinal Amateur with a 72-73-71—216...Ranked fifth in the nation at the end of 1997...Was a 1997 first team AJGA All-American...Won honorable mention AJGA All-America honors in 1998...Represented the United States in the Izzo Cup versus Sweden...Represented the East in the East vs. West Cannon Cup...Was second in the AJGA/Rolex Tournament of Champions in 1998...Tied for third in the Cardinal Amateur.

**High School:** Four-year letterman and three-time captain for Buddy Walker at Etowah High School... Finished second in the Georgia 4A state championship as a senior and third as a sophomore...Won the Hardaway Invitational in 1998...Helped Etowah to a Region Championship in 1996...Was president of his junior and senior classes at Etowah.

**Personal:** Full name is Kris Keeling Mikkelsen...Born May 22, 1980...Parents are Scott and Emily Mikkelsen...Father is a retired Brigadier General in the Georgia Air National Guard, who graduated from Tech in 1963...Majoring in management.



## Career Collegiate Finishes

1998-99		
T44	Red River Classic	75-72-70—217
T33	Duke Golf Classic	75-72-76—223
T2	Golf World Palmetto Dunes Inv.	72-70-70—212
T21	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	70-85-75—230
5	Puerto Rico Classic	70-70-68—208
T12	Golf Digest Intercollegiate	76-69-71—216
T62	Chris Schenkel Invitational	79-78-75—232
1999-2000		
T21	Carpet Capital Collegiate	72-72-73—217
T31	Iron Duke Golf Classic	78-74—152
T8	San Juan Shoot Out	72-73-69—214
2000-01		
T71	Ping/Golfweek Preview Invit.	79-79—158
T23	Carpet Capital Collegiate	73-70-79—222
T33	Jerry Pate Intercollegiate	74-74-72—220
T24	Golf World Invitational	70-68-74—212
T96	Taylor Made/Waikoloa Intercollegiate	87-81-75—243
T28	Puerto Rico Classic	80-72-70—222
T6	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	74-69-70—213
T9	Morris Williams Intercollegiate	70-73—143
44	U.S. Collegiate Championships	73-74-79—226
6	ACC Championships	69-73-71—213
T75	NCAA East Regional	72-72-74—221

### Career Statistics

Year	Trn	T10	T20	Rnds/Cnt	Strk	Avg.	Lo	Hi	< Par	60s
98-99	7	2	3	21/16	1538	73.23	68	85	9	2
99-2000	3	1	1	8/8	583	72.88	69	78	1	1
2000-01	11	3	3	31/24	2293	73.97	68	87	10	3
Total	21	6	7	60/48	4414	73.57	68	87	20	6

**Low Round:** 68, Golf World Invit., 2000, Puerto Rico Challenge, 1999

**Low Tournament:** 208, Puerto Rico Challenge, 1999

**Best Finish:** T2, Golf World Invitational, 1998-99



# Matt Weibring

**Junior**  
**6-1 • 160**  
**Plano, Texas**  
**Bishop Lynch H.S.**

**2000-01:** One of four players to play in every tournament during the regular season for Georgia Tech, also competed at the ACC Championships for the Jackets...Had the lowest 54-hole total of his career at the NCAA East Regional as he tied for 10th with a score of 6-under-par, 69-71-70—210...Recorded his previous best 54-hole event in the fall at the *Golf World* Invitational, finishing tied for 28th with a score of 3-under-par, 69-70-74—213...Top finish of the year prior to the NCAA Regionals was at the ACC Championships in Lake Buena Vista, Fla., as he placed in a tie for 12th with a three-day score of even-par, 73-71-72—216...Low round of the season was a second-round 68 at the U.S. Collegiate Championships, as he placed tied for 16th at 71-68-79—218...Helped lead Tech to four team titles in the regular season, and the school's seventh ACC crown.

**1999-2000:** Top Yellow Jacket finisher at the NCAA Championship with his career-best 6th-place showing after recording a four-day 12-under-par total of 71-71-67-67—276...The 67s in the third and fourth rounds were career lows for Weibring...Recorded two other top-20 finishes during the year, including a season-opening 12th-place showing at the Ping/*Golfweek* Preview Invit. with his 1-under-par 73-71-71—215...That tourney was played on the same course as the NCAA Championship...Other top-20 finish came in the final regular season event as he tied for 14th at the U.S. Collegiate Championships with another 1-under-par total of 73-69-73—215...Top career 54-hole score came in a 30th-place finish at the *Golf World*/Palmetto Dunes Invitational with a total of 214...Finished the year with a 72.96 stroke average and was ranked 39th in the final MasterCard rankings, along with being rated 45th in the final *Golfweek*/Sagarin index.

**1998-99:** Played in three tournaments and averaged 76.00 strokes per round...Finished tied for 49th at the Ping/*Golfweek* Invitational...Shot a 80-78-75—231 at Hazeltine...Also finished tied for 49th at the Duke Golf Classic...Was 8-over-par after carding a 74-75-77—226...Had best finish of the year as he carded a 75-75-75—225 to tie for 37th at the Chris Schenkel Invitational.

**Amateur— 2000:** Finished second at the Players Amateur with a 16-under-par total of 69-69-64-70—272...Qualified for the U.S. Amateur for the third-straight year...Lost to eventual champion Jeff Quinney in the first round of match play by a 6 and 5 score...**1999:** Qualified for the U.S. Amateur Championship for a second-straight year...Missed the cut at Pebble Beach Golf Links for match play after shooting 77-77—154...Missed the 36-hole cut at the Western Amateur after shooting a 73-79—152...Tied for 60th at the Porter Cup after shooting a 77-71-71-71—290 (+10)...**1998:** Qualified for the U.S. Amateur Championship in one of the Dallas, Texas-area qualifiers...Was a co-medalist at Eastern Hills C.C. after shooting a 137...Missed the cut at Oak Hill C.C., in Rochester, N.Y., after carding a 79-77—156.

**High School:** Lettered four years in golf for coach David Post at Bishop Lynch High School...Also lettered three years in basketball...Helped the golf team to state championships in 1997 & '98...Earned All-District and All-State honors all four years...Was State Medalist in both 1997 and '98...In basketball, was District player of the year and first team All-State...Helped team to state finals and was an all-tournament selection in the state tournament.

**Personal:** Full name is Matthew Kirk Weibring...Born December 4, 1979...Parents are D.A. and Kristy Weibring...Father is a 24-year Professional Golf Association Tour player...Majoring in management.



## Career Collegiate Finishes

1998-99		
T49	Ping/ <i>Golfweek</i> Preview Inv.	80-78-75—233
T49	Duke Golf Classic	74-75-77—226
T37	Chris Schenkel Invitational	75-75-75—225
1999-2000		
T12	Ping/ <i>Golfweek</i> Preview Inv.	73-71-71—215
T60	Carpet Capital Collegiate	74-76-80—230
T30	Golf World Palmetto Invit.	73-70-71—214
T46	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	73-71-76—220
T14	U.S. Collegiate Championships	73-69-73—215
T31	ACC Championship	72-75-79—226
T56	NCAA East Regional	78-77-73—228
6	NCAA Championship	71-71-67-67—276
2000-01		
T44	Ping/ <i>Golfweek</i> Preview	76-76—152
T36	Carpet Capital Collegiate	71-73-82—226
T27	Jerry Pate Intercollegiate	71-75-71—217
T28	Golf World Invitational	69-70-74—213
T67	Taylor Made/Waikoloa Intercollegiate	85-80-72—237
T15	Puerto Rico Classic	75-75-69—219
T33	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	85-69-69—223
T37	Morris Williams Intercollegiate	73-77—150
T16	Ford U.S. Collegiate Championships	71-68-79—218
T12	ACC Championships	72-71-75—216
T10	NCAA East Regional	69-71-70—210

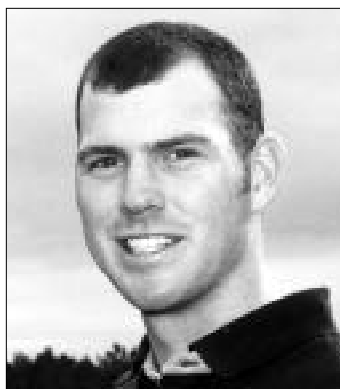
## Career Statistics

Year	Trn	T10	T20	Rnds/Cnt	Strk	Avg.	Lo	Hi	< Par	60s
98-99	3	0	0	9/6	684	76.00	74	80	0	0
99-2000	8	1	3	25/17	1824	72.96	67	80	10	3
2000-01	11	1	4	31/23	2281	73.58	68	85	11	6
Total	22	2	7	65/46	4789	73.68	67	85	21	9

**Low Round:** 67, NCAA Championship, 2000

**Low Tournament:** 210, NCAA East Regional, 2001

**Best Finish:** 6, NCAA Championship, 2000



# Troy Matteson

Sophomore-R  
6-0 • 170  
Austin, Texas  
L.C. Anderson H.S.

**2000-01:** Competed in all but one of the Yellow Jackets' tournaments entering the NCAA Championships...Currently second on the team in scoring with a 72.48 per round average...Recorded the best finish of his career at the Las Vegas Intercollegiate as he was Tech's top finisher with a second-place effort and a 6-under-par score of 72-72-66—210...Matched the top round of his career in the fall season at the Jerry Pate Intercollegiate, with a second-round score of 7-under-par 64, en route to a 15th-place finish...Finished in a tie for 10th place at the ACC Championships with an even-par score of 70-74-71—215, to help lead Tech to the seventh ACC title in school history...Was one of three Jackets in the tournament's top 10.

**1999-2000:** One of only three Yellow Jackets to compete in all 11 of the team's tournaments...Recorded one top-10 finish and five top-20 placements, with his top finish coming at the U.S. Collegiate Championships, where he tied for fifth place at 7-under-par 75-64-70—209...His second round 64 in that event was the lowest round by a Tech player in 1999-2000...Finished the year with a 72.70 stroke average, which ranked fourth on the team...Concluded the regular season and ACC Championship with three straight top-20 finishes, including the tie for fifth at the U.S. Collegiate, a tie for 17th-place at the Las Vegas Intercollegiate and a 13th-place effort at the ACCs...Averaged 72.06 in 16 rounds in his last five events of the year...Was ranked 76th in the final MasterCard Division I rankings and was 34th in the final *Golfweek*/Sagarin performance index.

**1998-99:** Redshirted the 1998-99 season.

**Amateur—2000:** Qualified for the U.S. Amateur at Baltusrol ...Tied for 55th at the Dogwood Amateur (69-73-80-71—293)...Finished tied for 51st at the Northeast Amateur with a total of 72-75-69-74—290...**1999:** Tied for 11th at the Southeastern Amateur after carding a 73-73-73-71—290...Tied for 23rd at the Dogwood Amateur after firing a 10-under 70-67-72-69—278...**1998:** Qualified for the U.S. Amateur Championship after being medalist at the Baltimore, Md., qualifier...Carded a 146 at Wood Holme C.C....Missed the cut at Oak Hill C.C., in Rochester, N.Y., after shooting an 80-71—156...Was named AJGA All-American honorable mention in 1997.

**High School:** Was a four-year letterman for coach Don Beaver at Anderson High School...Helped team to three state championships in 1995, '97 and '98...Was an individual state champion in 1997 and '98...Was a first-team All-State selection all four years...Shot lowest round ever in his High School District with a 62...National Honor Society member...Finished in top 10 percent of his graduating class.

**Personal:** Full name is Troy Jason Matteson...Born November 8, 1979...Parents are John and Lucy Steele...Step Grandfather Marion A. Steele graduated from Tech in 1926 with a degree in textile engineering...Majoring in civil engineering.



## Career Collegiate Finishes

### 1999-2000

T26	Ping/Golfweek Preview Invit.	72-75-73—220
T17	Carpet Capital Collegiate	70-76-70—216
T15	Iron Duke Golf Classic	74-75—149
T55	Golf World Palmetto Dunes Inv.	76-68-75—219
T39	Waikoloa Intercollegiate	74-71-77—222
T29	San Juan Shoot Out	75-71-74—220
T17	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	67-72-74—213
T5	U.S. Collegiate Championships	75-64-70—209
13	ACC Championships	72-73-73—218
T56	NCAA East Regional	81-75-72—228
T30	NCAA Championship	73-71-72-69—285

### 2000-01

T23	Carpet Capital Collegiate	73-70-79—222
T15	Jerry Pate Intercollegiate	76-64-72—212
T28	Golf World Invitational	70-68-75—213
T13	Taylor Made/ Waikoloa Inter.	75-78-72—225
T15	Puerto Rico Classic	75-71-73—219
2	Las Vegas Intercollegiate	72-72-66—210
T37	Morris Williams Intercollegiate	75-75—150
T20	Ford U.S. Collegiate Champs.	74-72-73—219
T10	ACC Championships	70-74-71—215
T49	NCAA East Regional	73-69-73—215

## Career Statistics

Year	Trn	T10	T20	Rnds/Cnt	Strk	Avg.	Lo	Hi	< Par60s
99-2000	11	1	5	33/26	2399	72.70	64	81	9 4
2000-01	10	2	6	29/23	2102	72.48	64	78	9 5
Total	21	3	11	62/49	4501	72.60	64	81	18 9

**Low Round:** 64, Jerry Pate Intercollegiate, 2000; U.S. Collegiate Championships, 2000

**Low Tournament:** 209, U.S. Collegiate Championships, 2000

**Best Finish:** 2, Las Vegas Intercollegiate, 2001

# Tech's All-Time NCAA Championship Results

## 2000 — Grand National Lake Course Opelika, Ala.

2nd/30 teams (280-282-278-276—1116)

**Strokes off Lead/Par:** E/-36

Matt Weibring (6).....	71-71-67-67—276
Carlton Forrester (T15) .....	74-70-68-70—282
Bryce Molder (T15) .....	69-72-71-70—282
Matt Kuchar (T20) .....	67-70-72-74—283
Troy Matteson (T30).....	73-71-72-69—285
Team loses 1-hole playoff to Oklahoma State	

## 1999 — Hazeltine National Golf Club Edina, Minn.

28th/30 teams (314-312—626)

**Strokes off Lead/Par:** -36/+50

Bryce Molder (T65) .....	77-77—154
Wes Latimer (T65) .....	74-80—154
Matt Kuchar (T120) .....	83-76—159
Carlton Forrester (T127) .....	81-79—160
Mike Pearson (T138) .....	82-80—162
Team missed 36-hole cut	

## 1998 — The Championship Course Albuquerque, N.M.

3rd/30 Teams (281-277-286-278—1122)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -4/-30

Bryce Molder (6) .....	68-68-68-69—273*
Matt Kuchar (T7) .....	69-67-70-70—276
Wes Latimer (T60).....	76-74-75-67—292
Mike Pearson (T60) .....	73-70-73-76—292
Carlton Forrester (T65) .....	71-72-78-72—293

*\*Molder sets Tech record for 72-Hole Tournament*

## 1997 — Conway Farms Golf Club Lake Forest, Ill.

Matt Kuchar (NA) .....	77-76—153
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## 1995 — Ohio State Scarlet Course Columbus, Ohio

29th/30 teams (304-302—606)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -27/+30

Stewart Cink .....	73-72—145
Sam Hulsey.....	77-75—152
Jason Walters .....	75-79—154
Brian Newton .....	79-76—155
Carlos Beutell.....	82-81—163
<i>Tech missed 36-hole cut.</i>	

## 1994 — Stonebridge Country Club McKinney, Texas

6th/30 teams (296-274-277-298—1145)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -8/-7

Stewart Cink (T-5) .....	75-67-65-73—280
Mikko Rantanen (T-21).....	71-63-71-82—287
Carlos Beutell (T-45).....	76-71-69-76—292
Jason Walters (T-65) .....	77-73-72-76—298
Brian Newton (T-71) .....	74-75-79-73—301
<i>Tech was tied for team lead after three rounds.</i>	

## 1993 — The Champions Golf Club Lexington, Ky.

2nd/30 teams (288-293-278-287—1146)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -1/-6

David Duval (2) .....	73-71-65-70—279
Stewart Cink (T-13).....	70-74-71-74—289
Carlos Beutell (T-13).....	72-76-68-73—289
Mikko Rantanen (T-24).....	73-72-78-70—293
Tommy Johnston (T-71).....	83-79-74-74—310
<i>Tech, Duval held the lead after three rounds.</i>	

## 1992 — Championship Course Univ. of New Mexico, Albuquerque, N.M.

5th/30 teams (289-294-284-284—1151)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -22/-1

David Duval (T-23) .....	68-74-72-75—289
Jimmy Johnston (T-26).....	73-76-70-71—290
Briny Baird (T-36).....	79-73-70-69—291
Stewart Cink (T-42).....	73-74-72-73—292
Wyatt Rollins (T-42) .....	75-73-73-71—292

## 1991 — Poppy Hills Golf Club Pebble Beach, Calif.

6th/30 teams (303-292-302-291—1188)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -27/+36

David Duval (2) .....	76-70-71-69—286
Jimmy Johnston (T-45).....	73-75-81-71—300
Tom Shaw (T-56).....	79-72-76-74—301
Chan Reeves (T-81) .....	76-75-77-77—305
Briny Baird (T-127).....	78-75-78-81—312

## 1990 — Innisbrook Golf & Resort Tarpon Springs, Fla.

11th/30 teams (292-288-304-289—1173)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -18/+21

David Duval (T-8) .....	74-68-76-70—288
Tripp Isenhour (T-23) .....	73-72-76-70—291
Charlie Rymer (T-68).....	73-76-77-73—299
Tom Shaw (T-82).....	77-73-76-76—301
Chan Reeves (T-87) .....	72-75-79-76—302

## 1989 — Oak Tree Country Club Edmond, Okla.

DNQ/30 teams (295-298—593)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** NA/+17

Charlie Rymer (T-35).....	76-70—146
Tripp Isenhour (T-50) .....	74-73—147
Mike Clark (T-81) .....	74-75—149
Chan Reeves (T-99) .....	71-80—151
Trey Holroyd (T-151) .....	77-82—159

*Tech missed 36-hole cut.*

## 1988 — North Ranch Country Club Thousand Oaks, Calif.

7th/32 teams (301-289-296-298—1184)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -8/+32

Bill McDonald (T-2) .....	77-68-69-73—287
Charlie Rymer (T-26).....	74-74-76-71—295
Tripp Isenhour (T-54) .....	75-72-74-80—301
Chan Reeves (82) .....	75-81-81-74—311
Mike Clark (T-87) .....	85-75-77-82—319

*McDonald led after three rounds.*

## 1987 — Scarlet Course, Ohio State Univ. Columbus, Ohio

22nd/30 teams (302-310-298-304—1214)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -54/+62

Nacho Gervas (T-45) .....	77-77-74-73—301
Bill McDonald (T-59) .....	75-76-75-77—303
Charlie Rymer (T-91).....	74-82-74-78—308
Chris Cupit (T-97).....	76-77-76-80—309
Jay Nichols (NA) .....	DQ-80-75-76—NA

## 1986 — Bermuda Run Country Club Advance, N.C.

T-13th/31 teams (296-294-298-292—1180)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -24/+28

Nacho Gervas (T-3) .....	72-70-74-71—287
Jay Nichols (T-38).....	71-73-76-74—294
Bob McDonnell (T-38) .....	77-72-74-71—294
Lenny Nash (T-105).....	76-81-75-76—308
Bill McDonald (T-109) .....	80-79-75-76—310

## 1985 — Grenelefe Golf and Tennis Resort Haines City, Fla.

12th/30 teams (300-300-300-301—1201)

**Strokes Off Lead/Par:** -29/+49

Jay Nichols (T-26).....	72-75-75-75—297
Nacho Gervas (T-35) .....	77-76-72-75—298
Bill McDonald (T-54) .....	74-76-76-75—301
Bob McDonnell (T-74) .....	77-73-77-78—305
Rod Park (T-97) .....	78-82-77-89—326

## 1978—Eugene Country Club Eugene, Ore.

Larry Mize (NA) .....	77-79-81—237
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## 1967—Shawnee-on-the-Delaware Golf Club Shawnee, Pa.

Bunky Henry (2).....	77-71-70-70—288
<i>Finished behind three-time U.S. Open champion Hale Irwin.</i>	

## 1934 — Cleveland, Ohio

Charles Yates (1) .....	Match play
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## 1927 — Garden City, N.J.

Watts Gunn (1).....	Match play
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## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

**Lowest Round:** 63 (9-under-par), Mikko Rantanen, 2nd round, 1994

**Highest Round:** 89 by Rod Park, 4th round, 1985

**Low Tournament Score:** 273 (15-under-par), Bryce Molder, 1998

**High Tournament Score:** 326 by Rod Park, 1985

**Best Finish:** 2nd, Bunky Henry, 1967, David Duval, 1991 and 1993; T-2nd, Bill McDonald, 1988

**Worst Finish:** T-138, Mike Pearson, 1999

**Closest to Leader:** 1 shot, David Duval, 1993

## TEAM RECORDS

**Lowest Round:** 274 (14-under-par), 2nd round, 1994

**Highest Round:** 314, 1st round, 1999

**Low Tournament Score:** 1116 (36-under-par) in 2000

**High Tournament Score:** 1214 in 1987

**Best Finish:** 2nd place, 1993 & 2000

**Worst Finish:** 29th place, 1995

**Closest to Leader:** Tied, lost playoff in 2000

**Furthest from Leader:** 54 shots, 1987

**Most Strokes Under Par:** 36-under-par (1116), 2000